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BETHEL INN & COUNTRY CLUB ANNOUNCES VICE PRESIDENT OF MARKETING & SALES

Ray Moran, General Manager, is pleased to announce that Robert S. Smith has been named Vice President of Marketing and Sales at the Bethel Inn and Country Club.



Robert S. Smith

A graduate of the University of Southern Maine, Bob was a key factor in the growth of Casco Bay Lines in Portland. As Director of Marketing, he was responsible for all marketing, sales functions, and promotions for the tour and charter operation. His expertise in the hotel business originated at the Ramada Inn and then continued on at the Sheraton Inn in Portland, as Sales Manager.

Mr. Moran stated that he is enthused about Bob and feels that he will be a great addition to the staff. His background in convention sales will definitely enhance the growth of the Inn. Bob resides in So. Windham with his wife, Lori.

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I, Paul Brook, of Alcohol Mary Road in Greenwood, wish to announce my intention of running for the position of Selectman of Greenwood at the Special Town Meeting on April 29.

I am currently on the staff of a local publication and have formerly worked for Oxford County government. I feel that past experience and concern for the town in which I live would make me eligible and valuable for the position.

GREENWOOD TO HOLD SPECIAL TOWN MEETING THURSDAY, APRIL 29

The date set for the Special Town Meeting for Greenwood residents is Thursday, April 29, 1982. Voters will be asked to act on several articles including electing a selectman to fill the vacancy created by Diane Howe's resignation, whether to change the present system of electing officials, and purchasing a new bucket loader.

The meeting will be held at the Locke Mills Town Hall and will begin at 7:00 p.m.

AMERICAN RED CROSS TAG DAYS TO BE HELD APRIL 30 AND MAY 1

Friday, April 30, and Saturday, May 1, will be tag days for the American Red Cross. Half the donations go to the National American Red Cross and the other half stays with the local chapter, which is Northern Oxford County Chapter in Rumford. Bethel and the surrounding area is represented by this chapter. No donation is too small. All donations help and are appreciated. Watch for the volunteers representing the American Red Cross. Give a Little - Help a Lot.

MT. ABRAM FISH & GAME CONDUCTING MEMBERSHIP DRIVE

Mount Abram Fish and Game Association met Thursday evening, April 15, at the Bethel Methodist Church dining hall. After enjoying a delicious pot luck supper, there was a business meeting, presided over by Norman Dock, president. A successful auction was held. A membership drive is now in progress. Meetings are held the third Thursday of each month. The next meeting is scheduled for May 20.

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The state police chief said the law does not prohibit the use of tire chains when required for safety because of snow, ice or other conditions tending to cause a vehicle to slide or skid.

FROM THE bethel town office

Spring Clean-Up Day
Monday, May 3

Bethel's annual Spring Clean-Up Day has been scheduled for Monday, May 3. Highway Department crews will begin picking up waste materials at 8 a.m. All materials must be placed at the side of the road and materials should be packed in plastic bags or other disposable containers.

Brush should be tied in bundles and all waste materials should weigh no more than can be lifted by two men. Persons having heavier materials to dispose of should contact Bob Davis at 824-2370 to make special arrangements.

In addition to aesthetics, safety is also an important element in spring clean-up efforts. Melted snow banks have, like the receding glacier, deposited a measurable thickness of sand along the roadsides frequented by pedestrians and bicyclists with the result that footing and traction is dangerous. This week, since the snow banks are no longer obstacles, road sweeping efforts are systematically underway in town and along side streets.

The State Highway Department has been requested to sweep the Route 26 bicycle paths between the Village and Telstar clear of sand before classes resume on Monday.

Winter weather has dealt harshly with several of our street lights. You may recall that last June, after a public hearing, a street light upgrade program was approved by the Selectmen to remove 22 incandescent lamp fixtures.

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M.S.A.D. #44 PREPS FOR PRE-SCHOOL SCREENING

Tuesday, April 27, and Thursday, April 29, will be Parents' Nights for Pre-Kindergarten children at Ethel Bisbee School, Bethel, and the Andover Elementary School, respectively. Woodstock Elementary School parents met on April 14.

Mrs. Adrienne Gallant and Ms. Joanne Andre, of the E.B.S. staff will host the 7 p.m. Tuesday meeting for parents whose children will enter the Bethel school in September.

Mrs. Barbara Sabin will lead the Thursday night meeting at Andover. Slides of pre-school screening process, general information about the kindergarten school day, and a social meeting with other parents, are highlights of Parents' Night programs.

Parents in M.S.A.D. 44 who have already registered their children, have received Screening Day appointments and information from their child's school. If there are questions about the process, the Kindergarten teacher in each school will be able to help.

Other parents who have children who will be five years old on or before Oct. 15, 1982, and live in

Andover and install six modern high pressure sodium lights at designated locations. The purpose of this program was to keep street light costs within budget limitations and to insure compliance with the following street light policy set by Town Meeting 1968: "Street Lights shall be provided by continued on Page Five

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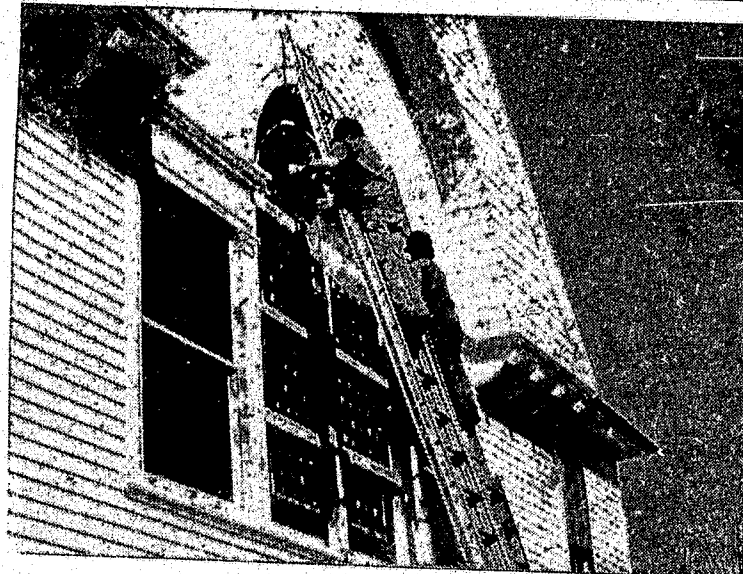
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WINDOW TREATMENT AT
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M.S.A.D. #44 DIRECTORS TO MEET MONDAY, APRIL 26

The Board of Directors of S.A.D. 44 will meet in regular session in the library at Telstar Regional High School at 7:30 on Monday evening, April 26.

Scheduled agenda items include requested action on: appointment of supervising elementary principals for Woodstock/Andover and Crescent Park/Ethel Bisbee; teachers for the 1982-1983 school year; posting of part-time clerical position with assignment to the Central Office; appointment of a representative to the NOVA co-operative board; two assistant Telstar Middle School coaches, and staff resignations.

NOVA BUDGET MEETING TONIGHT (THURSDAY)

NOVA (Northern Oxford Vocational Area) will be having a public budget hearing on Thursday (tonight), April 22, at 7 p.m. in the lecture hall at Telstar Regional High School. All residents of S.A.D. 44 are invited to attend.

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S.A.D. 44 Adult and Community Education SPECIAL EDUCATION

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Tuesday, April 27 - "Cooking Using Less Sugar, Salt and Fat". Stephanie Knight, Extension Service, Telstar H. S. 7 p.m. No charge.

Tuesday, April 27 and May 4 - 55-ALIVE: Defensive Driving for those over 55. Moses Mason House, 8:30-11:30. \$5.

Tuesday, May 4 for 6 weeks - INTENTIONAL PARENTING: How to improve your parenting skills. Mike Cohen and Carlene Trotter, Telstar H. S. 3-5 p.m. \$5.

For information or to enroll: Call Adult and Community Education, 824-2136.

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L SOCIETIES MEET
D FRIDAY, APRIL 23
meeting of the Oxford
League of Historical So-
cieties held April 23 at Ox-
ford American Legion Hall
at 7:30 p.m. The Ox-
ford Society will be the
feature program with the
feature program by Bob Smith
of studios, speaking on old

also be the organiz-
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meeting to join the League
Society Director Stan-
dard as delegate and Pres-
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nate. Any member of the
Bethel Society at-
tending this meeting
the Society office so
pool could be arranged

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April 18, is the monthly
7 o'clock at the S.A.D.
Bill Williams will show
drugs. This is a new
could be very interest-

April 18, there will be a
ctors meeting just be-
fore the regular meeting-around

members of the E.M.T.
started their 10 hour
course in a hospital em-
m. This is a required
course prior to com-

evening found many
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West Paris

— Mrs. Marian Chase, Corres. —
Mrs. Linda Chase, Ricky and Chad, DeDe Chase, went to the Shrine Circus in Lewiston on Friday.

Mrs. Eleanor Ryerson is on vacation this week from Penley Corp.

Mr. and Mrs. Ellis Ellingwood are receiving congratulations on their 11th grandchild, Melody Brooke Gammon, born to Ed and Bonnie Gammon, April 4. She weighed in at 6 lbs. 10 oz. They reside on Rte. 232, Bryant Pond.

Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Cram visited relatives in Sanford over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Rick Chase, Ricky and Chad, attended the wedding of her brother in South Paris on Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. George Marston of Hartford called on her mother, Mrs. Liz Rowe, on Sunday.

Mrs. Avis Ellingwood, librarian at the West Paris Library, has started a Pac Man contest.

Forward Fellowship will be entertaining the ladies of the West Paris Universalist Church on Monday, April 26. There will be a 6 p. m. supper followed by entertainment. Supper committee, Joyce Lamb and Mina Baker. Entertainment committee, Mary Emery and Miriam Imman.

The minstrel show "Plantation Jubilee" will be held April 23-24 at the West Paris Gym. Show time is 7:30 p. m.

Songo Pond

— Mrs. Ralph Kimball, Corres. —

Our sympathy is extended to Mrs. Liz Smith and family on the loss of her mother — a dear friend whom I enjoyed many visits with. I shall miss her.

Mrs. Myra Doyen has received word that her sister, Mrs. Alfreda York has been moved to a hospital in Burlington, Vt., for further tests.

Mark Kallis of Hingham, Mass., is visiting this week with his grandparents, John and Helen Kallis.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Parsons with his brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Mike Parsons of Rumford attended a retirement party and dinner at a Lewiston restaurant one day last week. Warren Parsons of Bath was a caller of his parents during the week end. The Parsons have also received word that Andy Clarke is in critical condition in a St. Petersburg hospital.

Timmy Lapham spent the week end with Darren Morse in Locke Mills. The Morses were visitors of the Laphams one evening. Buzze Lapham and Tim were in Rumford shopping Tuesday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. Randy Standeven and family were in Rhode Island last week end, called there by the serious illness of his father.

The pond is changing now—some open water around the edges, Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Bane of Conway, Doug, Denise and Adam Smith were callers during the week end of Pat and Gladys Grenier.

Russell Hunter of Conway, N. H., called on the Doyens Tuesday. Mr. and Mrs. Herb Adams and Derek of Hanover were callers here Tuesday.

"Progress always involves risks. You can't steal second base and keep your foot on first."—Wilcox

THANK YOU

The family of Harold B. (Red) Vatcher wish to thank relatives, friends, neighbors, and former neighbors for all their acts of kindness during our recent bereavement. To the doctors and nurses of the emergency room at Stephens Memorial Hospital; to those who made donations to the Heart Fund in Red's memory and a very special thank you to the T.T.A.E.R.S. for their very prompt arrival and their efficient care; for cards, prayers, and the many beautiful floral tributes. Everything is appreciated. May God bless you all.

Mrs. Rhoda Vatcher
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Andover

— Mrs. Marjorie Jodrey, Cor. —

Mr. and Mrs. Foster Davis (nee Betty Jean Farrington) are receiving congratulations on the birth of their first child, a daughter, born at Rumford Community Hospital on Wednesday, April 14. She weighed in at 5 lbs. and 13 oz., and has been named Amanda Jean. Sharing honors as grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Freeman Farrington of East Andover, and Mr. and Mrs. Clinton Davis of Rumford. Great-grandparents are Mrs. Elizabeth Sennett, Mr. and Mrs. Lester White, East Andover, and Mrs. Pearl Peasley, and one great-great-grandmother, Mrs. Jessie Simmons.

Heartfelt sympathy is extended to the family of Mervin Farrington in the loss of father, husband and grandfather.

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Trine and Michelle, Bar Mills, were callers on Mr. and Mrs. Walter Jodrey on their land preparing to move their mobile home later this spring.

What a difference a little rain, sun, and wind can do to the snowbanks. But the heavy snows did a lot of damage to a lot of shrubbery on lawns.

Mrs. John Percival and girls, Stephanie, Jennifer, and Angela, left Monday for a few days visit with Mr. and Mrs. Kersner and family in Wellesley, Mass.

Mr. and Mrs. John Salwyck of Plaistow, N. H., were week end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Emerson Jr. and family.

Mrs. Sylvia Witham, Seaside Heights, N. J., has been visiting with her brother, Mr. and Mrs. Orville Meisner, a few days, and she will be residing in the Portland area this summer.

Mr. and Mrs. David Chassin and



COUNTY HISTORY "PACKET" INCORPORATED IN E.C.O. PROJECT BY ADULT ED.

As part of its broad range of classes and programs, the S.A.D. 44 Adult and Community Education Office now features a packet of study materials in Oxford County history designed by writer and regional historian Randall H. Bennett as part of the ECO (External Credit Option) Pilot Project for Maine. One of several "learning packets" presently available through S.A.D. 44 Adult Education, the External Credit Option is designed as an alternative independent learning experience for adults enrolled in programs of high school completion. Specifically, the ECO is meant to fit the needs of adults who, because of problems relating to time, distance, and cost, are unable to participate in traditional high school completion programs; of adult who wish to pursue subject areas not included in traditional programs; and to permit adults who desire to learn independently to exercise this creative option.

Mrs. Sylvia Wight of Newry is presently involved in the local history unit which makes use of the extensive archival holdings of the Bethel Historical Society. She has completed a section covering the history of Oxford County and is presently reading microfilmed newspapers of the 1899-1900 period as well as studying 19th century life from the books "History of Bethel" by Wm. B. Lapham, and "Sunday River Sketches" by Martha F. Wilkins.

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family of Cambridge, Mass., and Mr. and Mrs. William Crooker Jr. and family, Livermore Falls, spent the week end with William Crooker.

The Mollycoddet Mixers 1982 graduation for Square Dancers was Friday, a great success. Now everyone get out and "beat the bushes" for next years class.

Mrs. Evelyn Wior and Lisa were guests Friday night of Mr. and Mrs. Richard Johnston.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Johnston attended the Mount Washington Valley Stompers 10th Anniversary in Conway, N. H., Saturday night. They won one of the door prizes, a lovely pot of yellow Mums. It took them 3 1/2 hours to get home because of the thick fog.

Mrs. Theodore Hickey left Wednesday for Broomfield, Colorado where she will spend three months with her youngest daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur (Jo) Berry.

Special Library Notes — There is no substitute for Library. Books are for reading anytime so why not visit the Andover Public Library and browse among the many fiction and non-fiction, history and a big assortment of paper backs, plus cook books, craft books, science and many magazines. Library hours are: Tuesday, 1:30-4:30; Thursdays, 1:30-4:30 and 6:30-8:30; Saturdays, 1:30-4:30. The Childrens hour held every Thursday from 2:30 to 3:30 for ages 8 to 8 years with Janet Hutchins as leader. She would appreciate anyone who would like to help her. Why not volunteer? New books at the library are: "Fever," North and South, "The Moorstone Sick-ness," "Night Wind," "Red Dragon," "Embers of Dawn," "Jinnidag," "Trade Winds," "Astratic Nutrition," "Lucian's Luck," "Palomino," "A Perfect Stranger," "The Best of Dear Abby," "The

WORKING ON LOCAL HISTORY

— Mrs. Sylvia Wight, left, and Randall Bennett working in the archives of the Bethel Historical Society.

Randall Bennett, known for his many articles on Maine-related subjects in "Down East Magazine" and "Maine Life", has taught courses and given lectures on White Mountain Social History, and is the author of several articles on Oxford County. He also edited and published Martha Wilkins' book on the Sunday River Valley in 1977. A packet of materials on U. S. History which makes use of the Bethel Public Library holdings and also written by Bennett, is in addition available through the ECO Program.

Anyone that feels the External Credit program might fit his/her needs is encouraged to call Cathy Newell at the S.A.D. 44 Adult Education Office for information.

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North East Lovell

— Pauline Smith, Corres. —

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Bassett and Bernice McInnis visited Leroy and Pauline Smith, Sunday.

Hinda Allen gave her mother a birthday party Saturday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Dana Gregson have a baby daughter, Debra Marie, born at the Norway hospital.

A rummage sale will be held May 14 starting at 9 o'clock at the Center Lovell Church.

Marcel Longpre and children were in Rhode Island visiting Marcel's family.

Bob Cobb from Connecticut and boys are here at their cottage for a few days.

Larry Fox's sons visited him this week end.

Albert Woods visited at Fred Fox's, Saturday.

Dot Bell also Clyde Allen, Florida, called on Hazel Allen recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Norman Christopher entertained their children over Easter, Candy, Roy Brickley and Michael (grandson), also Nancy Christopher and friend, Steve Ryan.

Muriel Pratt and sons were in Portland, Friday.

The Crosbys took Pauline and Roy Smith shopping, and had dinner out at North Conway.

Long Masquerade, and "Bugs".

"The Walkers" are out in full force now that the weather is better.

Rev. Rust of the First Congregational Church had as his sermon topic on Sunday "The Man Who Missed Easter".

Polly and Dick Johnston and Worship leader was Dick Johnston. On Monday, April 19, Ladies Aid Society met with pot-luck luncheon at noon. At 7 p. m. By-laws committee met at C.E.B. On Sunday, April 25, a guest minister will be here in Rev. Rust's absence. He will be in Portland, April 25 at 2 p. m. Oxford Union Association will meet at West Parish Congregational Church in Bethel, April 24, Special Church meeting to approve by-laws revision. Pot luck supper at 6 p. m. Bring own place setting. Thanks to all those who cooked and helped serve the Easter breakfast. \$101 was realized.

Rev. Rust will be staying with Betsy Fisher beginning Monday, April 26. Thanks to the Austin Daigles for hosting Rev. Rust while Mrs. Fisher has been away.

Mrs. Paul Nevel and Mrs. Glen Fyrborg and Jennie are spending a few days in Bangor visiting Rebecca Pease.

Miss Robin Palmer is spending the week in Portland visiting Mr. and Mrs. Glen Palmer and Glen Jr.

Mrs. Jack McGloin and children, Bath, were visitors Tuesday of Mr. and Mrs. Rex Thurston and boys.

Mrs. Mark Thurston has been confined to her bed with back ailment.

Calvary Congregational Church: Pastor Donald Glover's message April 18 was "Commands to Work" from II Thess. 3:16-18. The choir sang "Lord Take the Hand of This Child." Al Toaster, a former dean of Glen Cove Christian School, will be at the Calvary Congregational Church April 24 at 7 p. m. and on April 25 he will be guest speaker at all the Sunday services. There are only four weeks left to reach your 600 points for the bowling contest. All children involved are eligible to bowl two strings free if they reach a goal of 600 points. Any score higher than 600 points will qualify for

Newry

— Miss Amy Hanscom, Corres. —

The annual business meeting of the Union Religious Society of the Newry Community Church will be held Monday evening, April 26, at 7 p. m. at the church.

Stephen Wight, Mr. and Mrs. A. Lee Swan and Mary Tripp attended the meeting of the Oxford County Municipal Officers Association at Norway Wednesday of last week.

Mary Tripp attended a surprise personal shower for her granddaughter, Carol Ridlon, at Bridgeton, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Philip Korhonen visited their son, Pfc. David Korhonen at Fort Belvoir, and toured Washington, D. C., recently.

Freda Robertson entertained Paul Korhonen, Lisbon; Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Moore and family, Bethel; Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Robertson and Amy Lynn, and Mr. and Mrs. Philip Korhonen and family, Newry, at dinner Easter Sunday.

Gilberte Seeley was a dinner guest of Eleanor Morton Wednesday, April 14, and went to Rumford bowling with Eleanor Morton, Karlene Bachelder, June Swan and Nancy Wight, Wednesday.

The Windy Valleys Snowmobile Club met Thursday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. George Merrill. The meeting was preceded by a 6:30 supper. Officers for the coming year were elected as follows: President, Willard Wight; Vice President, Norman Duran; Treasurer, June Swan; Secretary, Sylvia Harrington; Trail Master, A. Lee Swan. There will be a bottle drive and clean up along the highways on Saturday, May 1, starting at 8 a. m. Anyone may join the drive, and anyone having bottles to donate may leave them beside the highway. The drive will be along the Sunday River road and along Route 26, from Newry Corner into Grafton Notch.

The Assessors have been working on the 1982 tax assessment.

They have nearly finished listing real estate properties but have some personal property to assess. Last year the Assessors finished revaluing buildings and this year land was reassessed. A slight increase in valuation of land was made to bring land values more in line with average sale prices, as required by state law. The tax rate can not be computed until figures for the M.S.A.D. 44 payments and the County tax bill have been received.

supper at the church. This information is being supplied to the parents of all concerned to be sure their verses are learned. Bibles are brought to Sunday School, and friends are encouraged to attend.

A. C. MYSHRALL
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Greenwood Residents

There will be a special town meeting on Thursday, April 29, 1982 at the Locke Mills Town Hall.

Greenwood Selectmen
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Chickadees called and played
among the sun toned branches.
Meanwhile Squirrel went nibble,
shift, nibble, shift with his mush-
room. Suddenly he was off up the
tree leaping from branch to branch
and disappeared into the forest.
He left his biscuit deposited on
the limb, next to the trunk, as if
it had grown there overnight.

I found myself thinking in the
past of other forests and other
squirrels. Memories that linger in
hidden remoteness; sometimes
bringing a leap of laughter, or a
poignant tear, to some ordinary
moment. I was like the squirrel
shifting and nibbling at the past.
In these woods, among the tall
trees, there is always something
quiet and peaceful, which gives me
a feeling I cannot express; a
strange beckoning feeling.

There are so many pictures that
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They seemed to be putting on an
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I think of Emerson's words:
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Greenwood City

— Mrs. Colista Morgan, Corres. —

Do I dare write this? Spring-
time ran lightly down the woodland
path today. Wind and leaves joined
hands and danced for joy, and
singing laughter ran through the
woods.

A squirrel sat nibbling on some-
thing he had found and scamper-
ed half way up a tree with his
treasure. He deposited himself on
a limb in a sunny spot near the
trunk. I watched him to see what
his treasure was; a toadstool he
had tugged from its base.

Bracing himself with his tail ag-
ainst the trunk and holding his
brown biscuit against his chest, he
set to eating. Turning it around
and around, as he nibbled and
shifted. He was alert to the fact
he was being watched.

The sun dappled into the woods,
glinting and casting shadows.

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Tara Sally-Gay Tracy

TELSTAR SENIORS TO ATTEND UNIVERSITY OF MAINE

Tara Tracy enjoys working with
younger children and has de-
cided to enter the field of elemen-
tary education. She will attend the
University of Maine at Farmington
next September. Tara, through her
participation and leadership, has
added a great deal to Telstar dur-
ing her four years. She was co-
president of her freshman class
and in her junior year was selected
as a delegate to Girls State. She
has been a member of the field
hockey and softball teams, the
band, stage band and drama club.
She has served on the graduation
and prom committees and the year
book staff. Tara has also found
time to do volunteer work at the
West Bethel Children's Center. She
is the daughter of Theodore and
Eleanor Tracy of Andover.

Timothy Akers has been ad-
mitted to Orono's Computer Science
program. Tim is an enthusiastic
and pleasant young man. As well
as maintaining an academic stand-
ing in the top fourth of his class
he has been an active member of
Telstar's football and ski teams all
four years as well as the track
and field team his junior and sen-
ior years. Tim resides in Andover,
the son of Leon and Gertrude Ak-
ers.

Roland Myers will attend the
University of Maine, Presque Isle,
next year to pursue a career in
education as a physical education
major. Roland is well respected
at Telstar and in the community.
He has devoted time in the com-
munity as a volunteer member of
the Bethel Fire Department while
also giving much time to the
youth in the area as a youth soc-
cer coach, a helper of the Bethel
Little League and as a gymnastic
aide. At Telstar, Roland has con-
tinued to be actively involved. He
has been a variety member of the
baseball, basketball, and soccer
teams, serving as team captain in
all three sports. Also to his cre-
dit, Roland was selected as a Boys
State delegate, as class marshal
and as president of the Varsity
Club. Roland lives with his moth-
er, Mrs. Mary Myers on Paradise
Street in Bethel.

Eric Gunther's interests and ab-
ilities have led him to enter the
field of Business Administration.
He has gained admission to four
Maine schools and his final de-
cision is to enroll at the University
of Southern Maine. Eric has been
actively involved in the extra-cur-
ricular programs at Telstar con-
tributing to the Yearbook Staff,
the basketball and ski teams, and
the Spanish Club. He has also
served as manager of the track
and field team, as a typist for
Keyboards Unlimited and as a stu-
dent English aide. Eric ranks in
the top half of his class and is the
son of Bethel residents, Howard
and Sandra Gunther.

SENIOR CITIZEN'S MENU
Monday, April 26: Chicken loaf,
O'Brien potatoes, sliced carrots,
peaches.

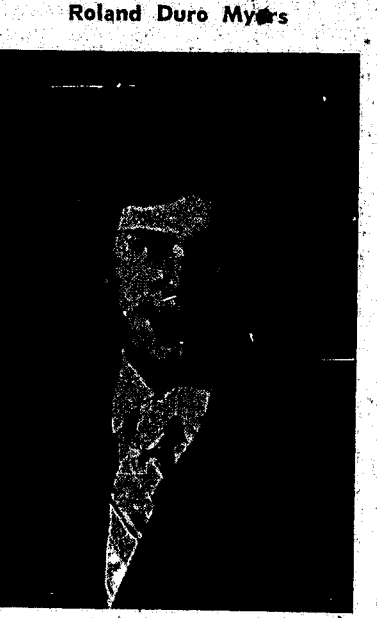
Tuesday, April 27: Juice, spag-
hetti w/meat sauce, green beans,
poke and pour cake.

Thursday, April 29: Hamburg
pizza, pears, garden salad, cook-
ies.

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Eric Hoyt Gunther

South Woodstock

— Olive Davis, Corres. —

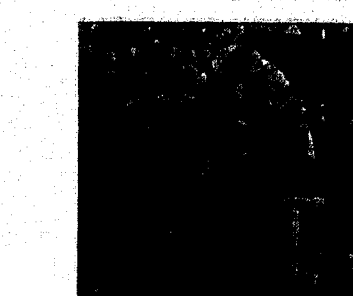
Mrs. Nicholas Clements called
her son, David, who is attending
college in New York, late Wednes-
day night. He was just getting
home from taking a late evening
test which had been postponed be-
cause of the blizzard at school.
He had been cancelled as so many
others had been. He reported 17
inches of snow in that place in
New York state. Mrs. Clements
also talked with several of David's
friends, John Lau, Hawaii; Paul
Caron, Moosup, Conn.; Pete
Venetokis, Brooklyn, N. Y. I hope
they all passed in their test. Good
luck, boys.

The committee of Safety met
with Olive Davis Thursday after-
noon in the interest of the Grange.
Further plans were made in pro-
moting safety for the next three
months. Those attending were Bill
Riley, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Brooks.
New fire extinguishers voted to be
procured for the Grange Hall. Bill
Riley is going to attend to this.

Our sympathy is extended to the
family of Angelo Onofrio in the
passing of this fine musician. He
will be missed by all who knew
him.

I wonder why Willard forgets
Maine temperature on his map of
Today Show. Maine is evidently
not in the United States any more
as far as he is concerned. I am in-

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LAST FILM IN SERIES TO BE HELD APRIL 28

The last in the film series "The
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University of Maine at Farmington
and the Maine State Library
with the support of the Maine Hu-
manities Council and the National
Endowment for the Humanities in
cooperation with the Bethel Histor-
ical Society will be held on Wed-
nesday, April 28, in the meeting
room of the Dr. Moses Mason
House, 730 p. m.

The film entitled "The Roots of
Disbelief" examines those develop-
ments that have dramatically
altered traditional perceptions of
the role of the church. The first
wave to shake man's conception
of his place in the universe came
when Galileo made public his re-
velations. He was able to prove
that, just as four moons re-
volve around Jupiter, so Jupiter
and the earth revolve around the
sun. The Church condemned Gal-
ileo's findings as heretical.

Charles Darwin's theory of evo-
lution was the most difficult con-
cept for Christians to accept. It
cast doubt on the very idea of the
human soul, and suggested that the
story of the Creation in Genesis
was far from the truth.

The difficulty for many Chris-
tians to believe the words their an-
cestors had for centuries taken as
the incontrovertible truth was
manifested in indifference to the
Church. A century ago, the Church
found it would have to probe the
mysteries of creation and deal
with a more discerning, science
oriented congregation by taking a
new approach to Biblical interpre-
tation. Today the Church has an
observatory of its own, and the
Jesuit astronomers who operate it
have made their contributions to
modern science. The computer has
been used to examine the authen-
ticity of parts of the Bible, and is
being used to analyze the four
Gospels.

Not only was church theology
trying to weather the storm, but
so was the Church itself. In 1848,
the people of Rome declared them-
selves a republic. Pope Pius IX
was stripped of temporal power,
but insisted on his spiritual au-
thority by waging war on all progres-
sive ideas. In a world where ev-
erything sacred was under scien-
tific scrutiny, this affirmation an-
swered a deep emotional need for
many.

At the same time, people began
to hear the story of a French peas-
ant girl at Lourdes who saw a
miraculous apparition of the Vir-
gin Mary. A similar apparition ap-
peared years later at Fatima in
Portugal. Even in an age of sci-
ence, many believe in miracles.
The sick and lame still come to
Lourdes to pray to Mary for a
cure and hundreds of thousands
come to Fatima each year.

After centuries of hostility over
differences of belief, the mood to-
day is one of reconciliation. In 1977
terested in comparing our climate
with the rest of the United States
and resent having Maine left out.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Brooks, Olive
Davis and Richard Felt attended
the second 3-part meeting at Nor-
way Monday, the 12th. Carl, Lettie
and Olive also went to the Bryant
Pond Historical meeting held at
the school house in town Saturday
night.

Olive was in Bridgton Saturday
calling on Mr. and Mrs. Arthur
Andrews and Lillian Harmon. Her
niece Nancy Smith has a new ba-
by, Charley Sasha, born March 31.
Another great, great niece.

PUBLIC NOTICE
Pursuant to Title 28 M.R.S.A. 252-
a notice is hereby given that a
public hearing will be held on Ap-
ril 26, 1982, 7:00 p. m. at the
Bethel Savings Bank Meeting
Room to consider a renewal Class
T liquor license application from
The Bethel Commodore Corpora-
tion d/b/a The Bethel Inn and
Country Club, Broad Street, Beth-
el, Maine.

Merton T. Brown Jr.
Town Clerk 15-16

North Paris

— Eveline B. Vatcher, Corres. —

We have had a lovely week of
Spring weather, and the white
stuff has disappeared and I am
glad to see it go. The lawn is free
from snow except a small patch
near the pine trees, we found the
parsnips and they are so good. I
cooked some Saturday morning
and of course I had to sample
them, and lo, and behold, Deedee
Chase I could taste them so I
kept eating them and soon the
Boss had to dig a few more as
we were having company for sup-
per. I guess that my taster has
returned, and it is about time.
Now I will have to make up for
lost time, and I can do it.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Vatch-
er, Lynn, Mass., and Mr. and
Mrs. Everett White, Merrimac,
Mass., came Monday and took
their mother, Mrs. Harold Vatch-
er, back to Massachusetts with
them and she returned Sunday,
April 18.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Vatcher went
to Saugus, Mass., Thursday for the
funeral of Harold Vatcher. They
also called on Joe's mother, Mrs.
Fannie Vatcher who was hospital-
ized with heart problems. She
had her 92nd birthday on April
10. Too much happening in such
a short time was almost too much,
but at this writing she is a bit
harlan Abbott and Joe Vatch-
er went to Magalloway Sunday to
find out the fishing conditions and
to check on Harlan's camp. The
snow was five feet deep on the
road to the camp, so they didn't
get to it. It doesn't sound like
smelting weather.

Our brother, Arnold Coffin of
Paramus, N. J., finally got here
and after an absence of 14 years,
he was very pleased to be back,
but he didn't remember directions
very well, but he got around. He
returned to New Jersey on Mon-
day, April 19. He left Portland

the Pope and Archbishop of Can-
terbury conducted a service to-
gether in the Sistine Chapel. There
is a monastery, Taise, in France
for monks of different denomina-
tions and Christians come from all
over the world to share their ideas
about God and their faith.

Against this background there
emerges only one reason for pro-
fessing to be a Christian; a per-
sonal conviction of the truth of
this particular faith.

The film is free and anyone in-
terested is cordially invited to at-
tend. A short discussion will fol-
low led by Dr. Robert Lively of
the University of Maine at Farm-
ington and Rev. Jean Bass of the
West Parish Congregational United
Church of Christ.

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Sunday night, April 18, the
monthly meeting was held at the
S.A.D. 44 Garage—a film on drugs
was very much appreciated by all
members.

The Board of Directors met Sun-
day night and will again Thursday
night.

The B.E.A.R.S. would like to
thank Elaine Corriveau for her
help in delivering the new tele-
phone stickers to residents of
Gilead.

Starting in the near future, this
column will feature a personality
look, up close and personal of each
of the active members of the
B.E.A.R.S. Each week will be a
different member, who they are,
what they do, etc.

Safety Tip of the Week

—Spring Cleaning

It's that time of year again,
along with spring fever comes
spring cleaning. Remember not to
having cleaning material where
small and curious children can be
tempted. Store them out of their
reach.

Airport at 7:10 a. m. so we had to
get up before breakfast. He gets
up anytime after 3 a. m. so time
doesn't mean anything to him. He
visited his older sister, Mrs. Alice
Goff, Mexico, and Mr. and Mrs.
Norman Abbott and several oth-
er relatives, along with his house
hunting, so he was a busy man.

Callers at Lawrences were: Dale
and Jeff Coffin, Mr. and Mrs. Nor-
man Abbott, Jo-Anne and Alice
Goff, supper guests, Arnold Coff-
in, Jeanne Millett, Joe and Eve-
line Vatcher, Mr. and Mrs. Albert
Penley Sr., and Mr. and Mrs. Her-
man Card.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Reidy of
Tyngsboro, Mass., are at their
trailer for a week.

Mrs. White of Merrimac, Mass.,
and her three grandchildren are
spending the school vacation week
with the children's grandmother,
Mrs. Rhoda Vatcher. The parents
will come on the week end for
them all.

We have given our ducks and
geese to a friend except for two
ducks which we will keep for com-
pany.

KEEP US IN MIND

It's that time of year when your
local Rotary Club must start
gathering items for our annual
auction. The proceeds of all of
our efforts go to support such
projects as the Senior Citizen
Xmas Dinner, Xmas Food Bas-
kets for the needy, student schol-
arships, support of the local
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tuitions, area athletes expenses,
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a good feeling!



MOSES MASON AWARD DEADLINE MAY 3

All students of Telstar Regional High School and Gould Academy who are planning to enter the contest for the Moses Mason Award are reminded that all essays must be in the hands of the principal or headmaster by May 3, 1982. The award, consisting of a \$100 savings bond and a certificate of commendation is awarded each year by the Bethel Historical Society to the student who writes the best essay on a local history subject. Judges this year are Rosalind Chapman, Edmond Vachon and Margaret Joy Tibbels. The award will be made during the appropriate ceremony at the end of the school year. For further information, please call the Society office at 824-2908.

RUMFORD POINT CHURCH FOOD/RUMMAGE SALE APR. 29

There will be a rummage and food sale at the Rumford Point Church on Thursday, April 29, from 2-9 p.m. In addition coffee and doughnuts will be on sale throughout the event.

The committee for the sale is as follows: Rummage — Nancy Knight, Gloria Dorey, Jeanette Lamson, Lorraine Hammond, and Joyce Ladd; Food — Louise Elliott and Barbara Ellingwood; Coffee and Doughnuts — Barbara Burns, and Marcia Stearns.

MRS. PEVEAR HONORED BY GRANGE IN HAMPTON FALLS, N. H.

The Fourth Annual Community Citizen Award of the Hampton Falls, N. H., Grange was presented in ceremonies on Thursday, April 15, to Roberta C. Pevear, by Gail H. Paul, Master. Roberta is serving in her second term in the New Hampshire House of Representatives, representing Hampton Falls and Hampton on the Environment and Agriculture Committee.

The Award Certificate and paperweight were presented in recognition of outstanding service to the community and mankind, to gratefully and sincerely acknowledge dedication and personal involvement, by the members of the Grange. She was commended for her services to youth, the elderly and veterans, and for her outspoken defense of the public health and safety of seacoast residents. She serves as Civil Defense Director for Hampton Falls and has objected to allowing "paper plans" for evacuation from the nuclear plant at Seabrook.

Rep. Pevear is listed in the "Who's Who in Politics", "Who's Who of American Women", "World Who's Who of Women", "World Who's Who of Intellectuals", and is a member of International Platform Association, a speaker's bureau.

Roberta, formerly of Bethel and a 1947 graduate of Gould Academy, resides on Drinkwater Road in Hampton Falls with her husband, Edward, and her mother, Mrs. Thirza Gibson. Her brother, Frank Gibson, Jr., and his wife, Clarice, reside on the Ferry Road in North-west Bethel.



SENATE CANDIDATE VISITS BETHEL

On a tour of Oxford County, First District Congressman David F. Emery visited with Bethel area residents at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Dana Douglass on Sunday, April 18. Congressman Emery, in his bid for the U. S. Senate, addressed the serious concerns facing Maine and Oxford County.

Fifty area residents joined the Douglasses to express their in-

VISITS SENIOR CITIZEN MEAL SITE

On Thursday, April 15, Sherry Huber, candidate for the Republican nomination as governor in the June Primary, was in the Bethel area for a short time. At mid-day she was at the Senior Citizen meal site, at the Bethel Methodist Church, above, with Representative Karen Brown, left, and Stanley Lord, right.

REBEKAH INSPECTION MEETING CANCELLED

The Sunset Rebekah Lodge meeting for inspection of May 4, will be cancelled, due to illness, until further notice.

Walking With Jesus Christ

Sure is a dumb thing to see how hard man works to be bad—and the truth of the matter is—it comes naturally! Never before in all history has the intelligence of man revealed the lowly level of stupidity that we're in now. Contrary to all natural reasoning we have buried ourselves with smartness that now appears to outsmart us.

While the engines of war churn onward — toward mankind's destruction, it will one day be brought to a screeching halt—when Jesus Christ will take over and all will be peace forever.

Never let it be said we haven't been forewarned—the Holy Bible is very clear—describing in detail Christ's return—over so often we read "In the last days"—2 Peter 3:3-7—"First of all you must understand that in the last days scoffers will come, scoffing and following their own evil desires. They will say—where is this coming he promised? Ever since our fathers died, everything goes on as it has since the beginning of creation. But they deliberately forget that long ago by God's word the heavens existed and the earth was formed out of water and with water. By water also the world of that time was deluged and destroyed. By the same word the present heavens and earth are reserved for fire, being kept for the day of judgement and destruction of ungodly men." Then reading on—verse 10—"But the day of the Lord will come as a thief. The heavens will disappear with a roar; the elements will be destroyed by fire, and the earth and everything in it will be laid bare."

Now the Bible is not clear as to the exact date when this event will occur—it may be tomorrow or be years away—doesn't matter. What does matter is that all people have an appointment with death and judgement to follow. We have the choice of heaven or hell—to live an abundant life now with heaven to follow as an eternal home or a life of troubles with eternal fires of remorse to follow.

Christ is the answer and makes the difference. Today is the day to ask God's forgiveness and wear the cross of Christ as a declaration and not as a decoration.

Fred Werner

UMF TO CONTINUE OFFERING COLLEGE COURSES IN RUMFORD-MEXICO IN '82-'83

The University of Maine at Farmington will continue to offer college courses in the Rumford-Mexico area during the coming year, thanks to the success of the current "exploratory year" arrangement.

Last spring, UMF officials and the Rumford-Mexico Task Force on Higher Education worked out plans to have the college teach courses in the area on an experimental basis. Five courses were offered for the fall semester, and eight others ran during the current spring semester.

Response to the new opportunities was so positive that UMF plans not only to schedule a minimum of 10 courses in the area for next fall, but six others during the summer as well.

Enrollment for the five classes last fall was 68, and registration for the eight spring offerings topped the 120 mark.

"We're very pleased with the result," commented Dr. Theodore P. Emery, UMF provost, who has been deeply involved with the arrangement from the outset. Dr. Emery said he and other UMF officials will continue to work with the task force in determining specific courses and other services the college can offer in the Rumford-Mexico area.

All of the courses taught through the Rumford-Mexico Center are applicable to university degree programs, although the arrangement does not constitute a UMF satellite "campus" as such.

"We can't guarantee that every one working toward a degree program can take all their courses in Rumford-Mexico," Dr. Emery said.

According to David Ackley, UMF Rumford-Mexico Center coordinator, the enrollments for this current year represent a broad range in age and interests. The age span ranges from a group of 18-year-old high school seniors taking college courses this semester under UMF's early admissions program to people in their 60's who are participating solely for personal enrichment.

Several are taking courses directly related to their jobs, such as Ann Roy of Locke Mills, and Geraldine Shimamura of Bethel, bakers at Telstar Regional High

GOULD TO PRESENT MUSICAL "GOSPELL" MAY 14-15

"Godspell," the hit Broadway musical based on the gospel according to St. Matthew, will be presented by the Gould Academy Drama Department as part of Gould's annual Spring Parents' Weekend activities on May 14 and 15.

The cast members are as follows: Luis Rosado, sophomore, New York City, as Jesus; Cathy Layton, sophomore, Kensington, Md.; Samantha Welsh, freshman, Newcastle; Renee Marcous-Devine, sophomore, Rockland; Todd Hartnett, sophomore, Marblehead, Mass.; Cindy Patterson, junior, New York City; Dino Slayton, senior, New York City; Liz Perry, sophomore, Medford; Bob Fiske, junior, East Stoneham; and Jon Stuck, senior, Waterville, as Judas. The stage manager is Pat Childs, sophomore, Rumford, and Tom Cole, junior, Brunswick, is technical director. The director is Mrs. Carol Fiske.

"Godspell" will be presented at eight o'clock both evenings, in the William Bingham Auditorium and the public is cordially invited to attend. Tickets may be purchased at the door.

School, who enrolled in the nutrition class taught by Dr. Margaret Butler. Others are seeking credits for teaching re-certification, such as Wayne Puiia of Rumford, who is taking the nutrition and government offerings.

The 120 registrations for the spring semester represent 70 individuals, Ackley said, meaning that several are taking more than one course. Ten are considered full-time UMF students, while several others are taking three courses. Some of the enrollees are "crossing," that is, also taking at least one course at the Farmington campus.

Gary Guilmond, chairman of the task force, made up of eight Rumford-Mexico citizens interested in establishing college opportunities in the area, said he feels the arrangement has been a "success so far by anyone's definition."

"A year ago, post-secondary opportunities (here) were just a dream," Guilmond said. "Now there are many challenges that our citizens can take advantage of. This just adds to the life of our communities in a special way."

NOTES FROM HAWAII

Mrs. David Foster

We arrived in Honolulu at 12:30 p.m., Honolulu time which is two hours behind Los Angeles time. It was partly cloudy but warm.

Our tour guide, Dorothy Mowat, met us as we got off. She was wearing a blue flowered muumuu. Some girls—not boys this time—put leis about our necks. These leis were made of carnations and marigolds. Perhaps the sweet smelling Japanea flowers were scarce at this time of year. We arrived about two o'clock at the Sheraton-Kaikiki Hotel—which is on the beach so it is only a step to the ocean. As you enter the lobby you are greeted by a tingling, jangling music from the ceiling lights. Many, many shiny white discs are hung from the chandeliers, and as the wind blows in, they create a musical, very pleasing sound. We had to wait quite a while for our rooms where we could unpack and relax or be browsing around the beautiful grounds or the many shops and restaurants on the ground level.

Sunday was a leisure day so my sister and I took a bus to the Ala Moana Shopping Center in downtown Honolulu. Our bus driver told us that Honolulu had 800,000 residents. We had a wonderful time shopping, and I finally found a place where I could get some grass skirts. As usual I went overboard shopping as I ended up with five grass skirts, and several articles of coral jewelry. Then we took another bus up to the capitol building as my sister wanted to get a picture of Father Damien who worked among the lepers on Molokai Island where we shall be going on the 26th of March. Then we walked a block to the Iolani Palace where we took pictures of King Kamehameha.

In the evening our group of 19 was taken to the Ala Moana Hotel for a get-acquainted party with cocktails and dinner. Now hang on to your hats. Folks—I drank a Mai Tai drink which is made of dark and white rum, juices—passion flower—pineapple and orange if I remember correctly. We could each have two drinks. But as most of you know—one might put me in under the table. Fortunately we had an hour for cocktails so I was able to walk steadily when we were told dinner was ready. I had scallops steak amandine—which is scallops pounded thin—sauteed and covered with silvered almonds and the head waiter told us. Served with rice pilaf, tomatoes, onions, and peppers—cooked together—it was delicious. There was also New York steak—veal and fish which

could be ordered. I had as dessert Hazelnut ice cream which was very good. Well, this is Aloha for now. I shall try to write from each island that we visit.

On March 22 the day before we flew to Kauai, we took a tour of Oahu Island passing Wheeler USAFB and Schofield Barracks on the way. We saw where the international surf contests were sometimes held on Waimea Bay and Sunset Beach on the western side of the island. Then we continued on to the Polynesian Cultural Center which is operated by the students of Brigham Young University on the northern side of the island. This center was started by the Mormons so that the students could earn money for their tuition, books, board and room. Nearby the university is the beautiful Mormon Temple called the Tai Matala of Hawaii. There are six native villages representative of those in Samoa, Fiji, Tonga, New Zealand, Tahiti and Hawaii. In each village grandfathers, grandmothers, mothers, fathers, aunts and uncles teach the crafts of their country to the younger people who are keeping these traditions alive. The students of Brigham Young put on the shows, serve as guides, booth and ticket attendants as well as cooks, waiters etc., when they serve the sumptuous dinners. We did not stop for the evening show which is spectacular as I know from seeing it three years ago, but we did see the Pageant of the Long Canoes. These canoes consisted of a wide platform on two long canoes. In the first of the two boats of each village were the ruling King and Queen of that country. In the second boat several students acted as dancers showing the kind of dances and rituals of that country. Both men and women wore "grass skirts", the men wore them around the waist while the women wore them on their hips. The Samoan and Tongan men were decorated on their faces and arms. The Samoan greeting was given by sticking the tongue out. On the Samoan, Tahitian and Fijian boats the men gave a war dance.

On the 23rd we flew to Lihue, Kauai, for three days. On that day we took a river boat to the Fern Grotto which is three miles up the river. These huge ferns fell from the top of the cave making a beautiful green canopy. Also there is a waterfall dropping from the top of the cave to a brook below. When we returned from the river boat ride we were taken to our hotel—the Kauai Surf. There we had dinner in the Fisherman Restaurant. Wednesday we took a trip to Hanalei for a fabulous helicopter ride over the mountains through part of the Waimea Canyon which is called the Grand Canyon of Hawaii, and then along the Na Pali Coast which has steep knife edged peaks with many, many waterfalls meandering down each peak. We were shown the Valley of the Lost Tribes as well as a valley where some lepers used to live many years ago. As this is an inhospitable place the lepers didn't live long. Also we flew over the highest swamp area in the world as well as the wettest. This island especially in the northern mountains has over 400 inches of rain a year. The pilot, Deibert Bloom, told us that if it had rained hard the day and night before so everything was soggy. However, we were lucky as the sun came out, and we were able to go into Waimea Canyon. The first trips weren't able to do that as the clouds had covered the mountains so those trips were only along the coast. "Waimea Canyon is a sprawling canyon of twisted ridges and castled peaks—muted bands of apricot, slate and crimson"—quote.

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CHURCH NEWS

Bethel United Methodist Church
Rev. Millett Cummings, Pastor
Tel. 824-2010 or 743-2213
Organist, Mrs. Susan Glines
Administrative Board Chairman, Harold Powell
Sunday School Superintendent, Norman Clanton

Sunday:
9:15 a.m. Sunday School.
10:30 a.m. Worship Service.
Tuesday: 9:30 a.m. Bible Study at the church.

Thursday: 7 p.m. Choir rehearsal at the parsonage.
UMW—first Thursday of each month.

Anyone needing prayers of church members or knowing of someone in need please call Mrs. Burton Abbott, Mrs. Wallace Saunders or Mrs. Ronald Stevens.

West Parish Congregational Church
Rev. John Bass
Co-Pastors
Miss Mary Valentine, Minister of Music

Sunday:
9:15 a.m. Sunday School for Pre-School through Adults.
Worship Service, 10:30 a.m.
First and third Sunday, 7-8:30 p.m. Confirmation Class for 9th through 12th grades.

Wednesday: 5:30-7:00 p.m. Youth Fellowship, grades 6-12.
Thursday: 7:30-9:00 p.m. Choir rehearsal.

Our Lady of the Snows
Rt. 26, Bethel
Rev. Donald R. Proulx
Saturday, 4:30, Anticipated Mass.

Bethel Gospel Center
of Christian & Missionary Alliance
D. N. Larson, Pastor

Sunday:
Sunday School, 9 a.m., three year olds through adults.
Babysitting for all children under five years during church.

Morning Worship, 10 a.m.
Evening Service, 6 p.m.
Monday: Men's Bible Studies, 7 p.m.

Ladies' Bible Study, Tuesdays, 9:30 a.m. for location call: 824-2850, Babysitting.

Wednesday, 7 p.m.: Prayer and Bible Study.

Bethel Church of the Nazarene
Church Street
Rev. Barry Beverage

Sunday:
Sunday School for all ages including adults, 9:30 a.m.
Morning Worship, 10:30 a.m.
Evening Worship, 6 p.m.

Wednesday: Prayer Meeting, 7 p.m. For transportation or information to any service call 824-2872.

West Bethel Union Church
Rev. Norman Rust, Minister
Phone: Church 838-2925
Home 583-4488

Parish Day Thursday
Chapel, 12th grade, Organist Mrs. Rodney Kimball, Custodian Choir Rehearsal, 9 a.m., Sunday.

Morning worship, 9:30 a.m. Nursery provided for pre-school children.

Sunday School, 9:30 a.m. USAFB and Schofield Barracks on the way. We saw where the international surf contests were sometimes held on Waimea Bay and Sunset Beach on the western side of the island.

Sunday School, 9:30 a.m. Supper Club, third Sunday, 6:00 p.m.

Youth Fellowship, Thursdays, 5:30 p.m.

Pleasant Valley Bible Church
B. R. Griffith, Pastor
Linda Stowell,
Planist and Choir Director

Sunday:
Sunday School, 9 a.m. Ages 1 through adult.

Morning worship, 10 a.m. Baby sitting for children through age 5

Tuesday: choir practice, 6 p.m. Prayer and Bible Study, 7 p.m.

Thursday: Ladies Bible Study 9:30 a.m. Babysitting provided.

Bryant Pond
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Worship and discussion by members focusing on topics of ethics and social responsibilities. Seekers from various backgrounds welcome. Alternating Sunday evenings at 7 p.m. Call Bryant Pond 101 for information.

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Youth Group, Thursday, 7 p.m.
St. Barnabas Episcopal Church
Rumford, Maine

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Bryant Pond Baptist Church
Pastor: Linwood Hanson
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Tuesday—Women's Bible Study, 9:30 a.m.
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Thursday—Awana Clubs: K-Gr. 2, 2:30-4:00 p.m.; Gr. 3-Gr. 8, 6:00-8:00 p.m.

Newry Community Church
Newry, Maine
Rodney Hanson, Pastor
Robert Duran, Organist
Sunday Morning Worship, 9:00 a.m.
Thursday, 7 p.m. Bible Study at Owen Wright's.

Assembly of God
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Rev. Andy Torbett
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Sunday School, 2 p.m., in Ladies' Bible Study, 9:30 a.m. Tues., home of Yvonne Viers.
Rumford Area Bible Study
Pastor, Bob Colby

Sunday: 10 a.m. Worship Service and Sunday School at the Faith Bible Chapel, Rumford Corner.
Sunday and Wednesday, 7:30 p.m. Services at 425 Prospect Ave., Rumford.
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Sunday:
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Thursday: Junior Choir, 6:30 p.m.; Senior Choir, 7:30 p.m.
Ladies Aid—any other Monday at noon, C. E. B.

Calvary Congregational Church
Route 5
Andover, Maine
Pastor: Donald Grover
Planist: Mrs. Edna White
Choir Director: Carol Stuart
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Worship Service, 10:45.
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Jeffrey Hooker, Pastor
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Magalloway Mills

Alice Harvey, Corrae, Beverly Cameron and Alice Harvey were in Corrae on Monday. A birthday party was held at the home of Alice Harvey. An extra special lunch was served, with cake and ice cream for dessert. The cake was made by Anne Bragg and Beverly Cameron. Alice received many cards and gifts from her friends.

A delicious buffet luncheon was served the seniors at Errol Restaurant on Wednesday.

Larry and Anne Bragg took their daughter, Cindy, to Rangeley High School on Friday for tests. She will graduate from the 8th grade in June and attend Rangeley High in the fall.

The Five Sisters, Alice Harvey, Magalloway; Marie Cooper, Littleton, N. H.; Sylvia Mercier, Rumford Center; Lorraine Holman, Dixfield; and Karen Chohsey, Rumford, got together at Sylvia's to celebrate Alice's and Lorraine's birthdays, on Saturday. They all enjoyed an elegant lunch. Dessert was a beautiful cake made by Nancy Barker. The birthday girls received many gifts and cards.

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Helen Hart entered the Berlin hospital on Tuesday for eye surgery. She was discharged on Thursday and is now staying with a niece in Camden.

The Ladies' met at Eleanor White's home on Tuesday. They worked on their crafts and enjoyed an especially delicious lunch.

Winter took over again starting Tuesday night with lots of snow and high winds for about four days.

Mark Harvey was in Portland on Friday.

A Grange meeting was held on Saturday evening. The hall was festive with Easter decorations. An Easter program was held after the meeting.

Bill Adams, Gordon and Carol Reid were Easter Dinner guests of Eric and Beverly Cameron.

Easter Sunday was a beautiful day with the temperatures getting way up there.

WEST BETHEL UNION CHURCH HELD ANNUAL MEETING

The Annual meeting of West Bethel Union Church was held on Sunday evening. This was preceded by a pot luck supper.

Meeting was called to order by Arthur Gilbert, moderator. Reports of secretary and treasurer were read and accepted.

Officers and committees for the year were elected as follows: Moderator, Arthur Gilbert; Clerk, Florence Paul; Treasurer, Hazel Webster; Financial Secretary, Evamaria Grover; Auditor, Colleen Boyd; 4th Deacon, Richard Hosterman; 4th Deaconess, Linda Blake; Church School Supt., Sheila Head; Church Committee, Jeanette Kimball, Clara Rolfe, Jane Hosterman.

Repair Committee, Arthur Gilbert, Walter Grover, Ronald Snyder, Gilbert Haines, Shirley Gilbert, Rodney Kimball. Sunshine Committee, Marilyn Gilbert, Linda Blake, Olive Head.

Mission Chairman, Juanita Haines, Christian Education Chairman, Gloria Snyder, Finance Chairman, Arthur Head, Rodney Kimball.

Musical Committee, Nerta Littlefield, Sandra Kimball, Jane Head. Memorial Gift Book committee, Jane Hosterman, Gloria Snyder, Olive Head.

Budget meeting is to be held at a later date. Youth meetings are cancelled until later in May.

Oxford-Union Association meeting is Sunday, April 25 at 2 p. m. at Bethel's Congregational Church.

Chapel Aid met at the church Wednesday, April 14, with vice president, Joyce Bennett conducting the meeting. A kitchen shower was held after the meeting. Many useful gifts received including cooking dishes, tablecloths, blankets, and dish towels. Next meeting will be held on Wednesday, May 12 at the church.

PUBLIC NOTICE
The Municipal Officers of the Town of Bethel will meet at 7:00 p. m. Monday, April 23, 1962, in the meeting room of the Bethel Savings Bank to hear comments and to consider a proposed special assessment for the Bethel Cemetery. The Bethel Cemetery is located on the corner of Main and Commercial Streets in Bethel, Maine. The assessment is for the year 1962. The amount of the assessment is \$1.00 per lot. The assessment is due on or before May 1, 1962. If you have any comments or objections, please bring them to the meeting.

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NEWS FROM ADULT AND COMMUNITY EDUCATION

Several courses and programs will begin after the April school vacation, including the "Money Series" program on the pros and cons of incorporating for loggers and small businessmen, the Extension Service nutrition program on cooking with less salt, sugar and fat, 55-ALIVE-the defensive driving course for those over the age of 55, and Intentional Parenting. Specific information on these courses is available on page one.

Cathy Newell, Director of Adult and Community Education, was a panel member at a state workshop for secretaries in adult and community education programs on Friday, April 16, in Waterville. Mrs. Newell has recently been asked to serve on a task force considering the issue of certification requirements for directors of adult and community education programs.

The Learning Fair is getting closer—scheduled for Tuesday, May 11 at Telstar. Mark your calendars for the great pot-luck supper, and an exciting array of exhibits and demonstrations, and another concert by the Adult and Community Education chorus.

The annual Birdwatching Trip to Pine Point and the Scarborough Marsh is tentatively planned for Saturday, May 15 with Howard Whitten and Don Feeney as trip leaders. Specifics will be available after the vacation.

WOMEN'S AGLOW FELLOWSHIP TO MEET IN GORHAM APRIL 26

A meeting of the Berlin-Gorham, N. H., Chapter of Women's Aglow Fellowship will be held on Monday, April 26, at 7 p. m. at the Fireside Restaurant, Gorham. This is a dessert meeting with a guest speaker, Judy Steponic, who will offer a special ministry to divorced and single women.

Women's Aglow Fellowship is an international organization of Christian women who love the Lord and are "aglow" with the Holy Spirit. The Fellowship extends an invitation to all those interested to attend their meetings.

SCHOOL LUNCH MENU

S.A.D. #44—WEEK OF APRIL 26

Monday: Tomato soup, crackers and cheese, Waldorf salad, cookie, ham or tuna salad sandwich, milk.

Tuesday: Fish in batter, mashed potato, peas, frosted cake, bread and peanut butter, milk.

Wednesday: Spaghetti and meat sauce, green beans, peaches, hot roll and butter, milk.

Thursday: Hamburg gravy on rice or biscuit, corn, fruit, cheese biscuit and butter, milk.

Friday: Roast turkey and gravy, mashed potato, carrots, apple sauce, hot roll and butter, milk.

CUB SCOUTS

Den 2: At our last meeting, April 18, we tied knots and threw a rope and tried to hit a target. Denner, Todd Chadbourne.

IN MEMORIAM
In Loving Memory of my Grandfather Norman Mills who passed away April 25, 1976 "Memories of You"

My memories of you are still with me. Though each year moves them into the past. Seems like yesterday that I last saw you. The time... it passes so fast.

The scent of the woods still reminds me I feel myself wanting to cry. The regret of not seeing you one last time. To say a final goodbye.

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Sunday River

Jacqueline Fleet, Corrae.

Tammy Fleet, Sharon Daye, are in Florida with Miss Lord and other students from Telstar. The students seem to be having a good time. This vacation. Most of them needed this time off to relax a little.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Russell, Westford, Mass., were up over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Verrill, and Ralph Verrill, are at the Verrill cottage.

Sent in by Eva Yates

A magnificent clear lovely spring morning. The snow has really disappeared the last few days so the bigger parts of the fields are clear. It makes you think old man winter has decided to leave us but I know one May we got a foot of snow. We all went to the school entertainment at Bryant Pond. One car load of people did not get home until morning. He was too stubborn to put on his chains so he worked his way home in the slush and snot. That was a long time ago. We warmed up the Go-Shoes for Friday night's trip to Auburn to the Stevens Grange then didn't get there, Joe felt punk so we stayed at home. The Go-Shoes did go to Bryant Pond on Thursday p. m. Not so many cars going up to the skiway—maybe people are getting tired to skiing and maybe the ski trails are not as good as they were. "Skeeters and black flies will soon be here."

Bear River Grange #285 will meet on April 24. There will be a 6 p. m. pot luck supper and the Deputies will be guests. We would appreciate it if all members that are able would try to attend. Back dues would be most acceptable as well as all members. So take your pot of luck and join us all.

Helen Rummels was on the river making calls Saturday for the Cancer Society.

Thursday dinner guest of Joe and Eva was Verna Swan.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Billings were callers Monday at Joe and Eva's. Come again. The latch string is always out.

Thursday afternoon we surprised and pleased one of Eva's old school mates and neighbor, Mrs. Louvie Sweetser at Bryant Pond.

Charles Bean of Portland was at his camp at Sunday River on Saturday.

The Go-Shoes have been off the hook and aired some this past week—Monday night, April 12, Joe

THANK YOU

Friends, family, acquaintances, anyone, I want to thank you for your cards, appearance at the wake, funeral appearance, visits to the hospital, cards, donations to the church, phone calls, thoughts of grief, cards while father was in the hospital, anything you did or thought.

Every experience in life is a learning process and I never realized before how much or good it is to have someone to share grief with when it's your loved one that has gone. I would attempt to list those of you who did those special little things but in fear I might leave someone out, I won't.

Not just because he was my father, he was a good, wonderful man. He deserved every tribute he got or gets.

Father we love you! Rest in peace.

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T.T.A.E.R.S. News

(Tri-Town Ambulance & Emergency Rescue Service)

Tri-Town was the honored guest at the Bryant Pond Grange meeting, Monday night, April 19. Master Richard Felt presented the members of Tri-Town Ambulance and the Community Citizen Award for outstanding service in 1981. Receiving the honor for Tri-Town were Merle Ring, Coordinator; Ken Huff, Assistant Chief; Sylvia Evans, Secretary, and Dorene Benson, Ambulance Attendant. Tri-Town is certainly touched by this honor.

The Auxiliary is busy preparing for the Booster Club supper on May 1 at 6 p. m. at the West Summer Grange. Training meeting will be held with the Advanced First Aid Class on Wednesday, April 28, at the Bryant Pond fire station. The attendants will be helping the first aiders with short boards, long boards, lifts, and use of the stretcher.

Remember Call 1 + J. D. No. (West Paris and Sumner)-800-482-7433. Tell the dispatcher your location clearly, some indication of the problem, and which ambulance service you want. One number dispatches several rescue squads.

BETHEL FIRE DEPARTMENT

The Bethel Fire Department held training on April 8 and 15. On the 8th a film on arson was viewed by members. The film outlined the coordination necessary between fire, police and insurance personnel in the successful conviction of arsonists. The film was provided through the help of Arlan Jodrey. And thanks go to Gould Academy for the loan of a 16mm projector.

On the 15th members reviewed air pack use as well as use of pumping equipment.

Remember burning permits are required for all fires. The permits can be obtained from Bob Davis, Burnie Rice or Jim Young. Also for sale through the Department are smoke alarms and fire extinguishers.

and Eva and Peggy Blake picked up Verna Swan and Kaye Billings and attended Norway Grange.

Mr. and Mrs. Jeffrey Yates, Vanessa and Jason, visited Tom Yates in Colorado recently.

Mrs. Peggy Blake, Mrs. Loretta Merrill and Barbara Stevens were in Portland Tuesday on business.

Our sympathy goes to Eveline and Joe Vatcher in the loss of his brother, Harold.

David Yates and son, David, were at Uncle Joe Yates on Sunday.

Joe and Eva Yates were Sunday dinner guests of Peggy Blake.

The sunshine—rains and wind has done wonders the past week removing snow and snowbanks. Several have seen robins but we are still to see our first one. A bunch of starlings was here this morning. This is Happy Week for the kids—it's vacation week. No school. Hurrah, Hurrah.

No news from Tom Yates—guess he must have got back on the ski trails some place.

THANKSGIVING NOVENA TO ST. JUDE

O Holy St. Jude, Apostle and Martyr, great in virtue and rich in miracles, near kinsman of Jesus Christ, faithful intercessor of all who invoke your special patronage in time of need, to you I have recourse from the depth of my heart and humbly beg to whom God has given much great power to come to my assistance. Help me in my present and urgent petition. In return, I promise to make your name known, and cause you to be invoked. Say three Our Fathers, three Hail Marys and Glorias. Publication must be promised. St. Jude pray for us and all who invoke your aid. Amen. This Novena has never been known to fail. I have had my request granted. Publication promised. A friend

BETHEL SENIOR CITIZENS MET WEDNESDAY, APRIL 14

The Bethel Senior Citizens met on Wednesday, April 14, at the Odd Fellows Hall for their regular monthly meeting with 57 members present. Maud Danforth had charge of the guest book.

The meeting was called to order by the president, Muriel Faudi. A moment of silence was held in memory of Angelo Onofrio and Ethel Pillsbury. Prayer was offered by Rev. Millett Cummings followed by the flag salute and singing one verse of America.

The secretary's and treasurer's reports were read and accepted. Floribel Haines reported that 27 get-well cards and four sympathy had been sent.

The president announced that the trip to Augusta will probably take place the last week in May or the first of June. Three trips are being planned for this year including the Castle in the Clouds.

She informed the group that the Country Way Restaurant in South Paris is offering special rates to Senior Citizens again this year.

Those seated at the birthday table were: Elsie Davis, Mary Knights and Evelyn Reed. The cake was furnished by Alberta Angvine, Betty Blake, Maxine Brown, Doris Fraser and Edna York. It was made by Leona Flint. Rev. Cummings offered the blessing after which a dinner including rice and creamed turkey was served.

The speaker for the afternoon was Jeri Brooks. On behalf of the American Legion Auxiliary, she extended her gratitude to the Senior Citizens for their assistance

BETHEL SENIOR CITIZENS TO DINE IN SOUTH PARIS

The Bethel Senior Citizens will be having dinner on Wednesday, April 28, at the Country Way Restaurant, South Paris, Smorgasbord will be served. Everyone should plan to meet at the restaurant at 11:30 a. m. Those needing a ride or planning to drive and having room in their car are asked to contact Sarah Stevens, 824-2401, to make car pooling arrangements.

with the following programs and projects: Junior Activity Scholarship, V. A. Supply Closet, Toga Gift Shop, American Project, Publicizing Projects in the Community and promoting the Poppy Program.

She announced that a hearing assessment program would be held at the Health Center on Friday, April 16 at 9 a. m. This is for the benefit of everyone five years and older. A Drug and Alcohol program will be held at the American Legion Hall, April 16, at 7:30 p. m. Bill Williams, police officer and Becky Hardy from the Health Center will discuss and assist with present day problems.

Miss Brooks presented a citation of appreciation to the Bethel Senior Citizens from the American Legion Auxiliary. It was graciously accepted by the president, Muriel Faudi.

A parcel post sale followed, under the direction of Maud Danforth, assisted by Frances Bennett, Agnes Haines and Clara Rolfe.

The next meeting will be held on May 12 at the Sunday River Inn. All charter members will be honored at that time.



SENIOR CITIZENS APPRECIATED—On Wednesday, April 14, Jeri Brooks, left above, on behalf of the Munda-Allen Unit, presented a citation to the Bethel Senior Citizens during the regular monthly luncheon meeting at the I.O.O.F. Hall, in appreciation of their help with many Auxiliary projects. Muriel Faudi, president, right, accepted the citation for the Senior Citizens.

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Bryant Pond

—Mrs. Alice F. Ho

Edward and Bonnie Gammon Sr. are congratulations on the daughter, Melody D. ril 4. Proud grandpa and Mrs. Gerald G. Sumner, and Mr. an Ellingwood, West Par now home at Route Pond.

Callers of Beatrice and Mrs. Kenneth H. evening were Mr. at Benson, Duxbury, Ma and Mrs. David Benson Mansfield Center, Co Sunday dinner gu Beatrice Farnum and family were Mr. an Chase, Andy and C Mills; Mr. and Mrs. vens, Keith and Jern Elizabeth Hoyt, Mass., returned home ter spending a few d parents, Mr. and M Hoyt and family.

On April 29, the are having a special Anyone who will be i next September may Club from 2:30 to 4 p.

Northwest B

—Clarice Gibson,

No school this week few people had Mon cause of Patriot's though in some pla have a lot of snow; w feeling of spring in the the snow has melted took advantage of the and raked. Betty Gilling me she raked ou cuses Friday and Sa were blossomed. We got at the trees enou some of them this George left in the m forenoon Sunday to go trail over in Lovell a he was able to go the We did have strong w and in the afternoon S George went with Do Adam Smith to New on Sunday afternoon snowed quite a little While in New Ham visited Didi's father Frank and I went to Mr. and Mrs. Geo Norway, and my husband, Mr. and Mrs er, Jr., were there field. How I enjoy the but we came home fi soon after dark and so bad in places ou see to drive. It seem get through a patch t see the road when w other patch.

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Bryant Pond

— Mrs. Alice F. Hoyt, Corres. —

Edward and Bonnie (Ellingwood) Gammon Sr. are receiving congratulations on the birth of a daughter, Melody Brooke, on April 4. Proud grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Gammon, West Sumner, and Mr. and Mrs. Ellis Ellingwood, West Paris. Melody is now home at Route 232, Bryant Pond.

Callers of Beatrice Farnum, Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Hoyt, Saturday evening were Mr. and Mrs. Carl Benson, Duxbury, Mass., and Mr. and Mrs. David Benson and boys, Mansfield Center, Conn.

Sunday dinner guests of Mrs. Beatrice Farnum and the Ken Hoyt family were Mr. and Mrs. John Chase, Andy and Crystal, Locke Mills; Mr. and Mrs. Robert Stevens, Keith and Jennifer, Bethel. Elizabeth Hoyt, Hyde Park, Mass., returned home Monday after spending a few days with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Hoyt and family.

On April 29, the Awana Clubs are having a special visiting day. Anyone who will be in grades K-2 next September may visit Sparks Club from 2:30 to 4 p.m. Boys and

girls who will be in grades 3-8 are invited to visit the Chums, Pals, Guards and Pioneer Clubs from 6 to 8 p.m. Come and see what Awana Club is all about. You are welcome!

Franklin Grange met on Monday, April 19, for open house and Community Citizen Award Night. This meeting was well attended. The program started by opening the Bible and presenting the flag; Song by all; Reading of Proclamation of Grange Week, Richard Felt; History of the Grange by Olive Davis. The Grange was founded in 1867. Each committee head told what they do. Five people told of what the Grange is made up of: Faith, Hope, Charity, and Fidelity. Music by Rudy Royer; the Community Citizen Award went to a group this year, the T.T.A.E.R.S., for the service they provide to the community; Skit written by Lettie Brooks, "Planning a Pomona Dinner"; Songs by Harry Boyer; closing thought, Olive Davis. People looked over the Ambulance and had a chance to get their blood pressure taken by attendants. Merle Ring and Sylvia Evans told about the T.T.A.E.R.S. Refreshments were served after the meeting.

Northwest Bethel

— Clarice Gibson, Corres. —

No school this week and quite a few people had Monday off because of Patriot's Day. Even though in some places we still have a lot of snow, we do have a feeling of spring in the air. Where the snow has melted quite a few took advantage of the bare ground and raked. Betty Gilbert was telling me she raked over her crocuses Friday and Saturday. They were blossomed. We could finally get at the trees enough to prune some of them this week end. George left in the middle of the forenoon Sunday to go hiking on a trail over in Lovell and said that he was able to go the whole trail. We did have strong winds Sunday and in the afternoon spitting snow. George went with Doug, Didi and Adam Smith to New Hampshire on Sunday afternoon and said it snowed quite a little in Berlin. While in New Hampshire they visited Didi's father. Saturday, Frank and I went to the folks, Mr. and Mrs. George Allen in Norway, and my sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Ben Tucker, Jr., were there from Readfield. How I enjoy the longer days but we came home from Norway soon after dark and the fog was so bad in places one could hardly see to drive. It seemed we just got through a patch so we could see the road when we would hit another patch.

Dr. and Mrs. Shaw went to Auburn Saturday to dinner and shopping. Mrs. Shaw's sister and family, Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Bangs and three children, Deanne, Glenn, and Jonathan, of Hermon, were visiting relatives and friends over the long week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Murphy went to the movies at Rumford Saturday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Danny Gibbs had Sunday breakfast at his folks, Mr. and Mrs. Guy Gibbs, and joined Mr. and Mrs. Tom Gibbs and two children later in the day for Tom's birthday. Mr. and Mrs. Guy Gibbs also went to Tom's.

Saturday evening Mr. and Mrs. Danny Gibbs and her folks, Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Durgin, Newry, went to Gorham, N.H., for supper. Mr. and Mrs. George Gilbert had for Easter Sunday her mother, Grace Morrill, and their two sons, Randy, Ronnie and families.

Eddie Smith was around Saturday on the cancer drive. Andy Smith, son of Mr. and Mrs. Homer Smith, went to the races at Oxford Speedway over the week end with his friend, Brent Bachelder, and mother, Karlene.

Melinda Mason had her work week last week and Debbie Seames helped Melinda make a blazer.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Mason III had cake and ice cream at their home Friday in honor of Charles IV's fourth birthday. Mr. and Mrs. Charles Mason, Jr., Melinda Mason and Kathie's mother, Mrs. Morgan, joined them.

Sharon Kimball visited her mother, Sylvia Benson, Thursday, and helped her with some cleaning. Mr. and Mrs. Winfield Adams visited Mr. and Mrs. Lester Butters Saturday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Mason III's three children stayed Friday night and Saturday at Mr. and Mrs. Charles Mason Jr.'s while their parents went to a church convention near Augusta.

Saturday, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Benson went to Rumford on business.

Mike Crockett spent Friday night with his friend, Brian, son of Mr.

FRANKLIN GRANGE #124

Fifty-one were in attendance on April 12 when Franklin and West Paris held their second three point meeting with Norway Grange. West Paris filled the chairs and Franklin Grange put on the following program: God Bless America was sung by all; a farm roll call for the officers only was, what is or would be your favorite work on the farm? All responded; Carl Brooks danced his dolls, Bonny and Clyde and Rastus danced for the encore; a group of volunteers had a potato rolling contest. They were all treated on fudge. An Easter tableau was presented with Verna Swan and Kay Billings standing by the cross with a Bible and flowers. The audience sang "The Old Rugged Cross" and this was followed by a prayer. Then a skit on "Gandhi Safety" was put on by Olive Davis, Lettie and Carl Brooks. This goes to the State Lecturer later. Music by Richard Felt and Carl Brooks. Speaker: George Emmerton, State Trooper. He talked safety with questions following his talk. Audrey Hadley read the closing thought. "Whispering Hope" was sung. Norway served refreshments.

and Mrs. Steve Anderson. Saturday, the boys went to the Shrine Circus in Lewiston with their 4th grade class from Crescent Park School.

Timmy Angevine, son of Dick and Sue Angevine, was sick all last week from school.

Pat Anderson took Mrs. Leslie Lapham to church at Rumford Corner Church.

Leslie Lapham went to the Fish and Game supper and Randal Stevens brought him home.

Evelyn Hilborn and friends went to a trip to the ocean. Some of the places visited were Wells, York Beach and they had lunch in Kennebunkport.

Another day Evelyn Hilborn, Bertha Flanders, Locke Mills; Kay McAllister and Frances Farnum went to Berlin, N.H., shopping and for dinner.

Saturday, Evelyn, Judy Coolidge and three girls went to Gorham, N.H., shopping and Sunday Evelyn and dog, Tobey, went sight-seeing and had brunch in South Paris. Tobey also went to the beach the day they went.

If we work upon marble, it will perish;
If we work upon brass, time will efface it;
If we rear temples, they will crumble into dust;
But if we work upon immortal souls

If we imbue them with principles,
With the just fear of God and love of fellowmen,
We engrave on those tablets
Something which will brighten all eternity!

—Daniel Webster

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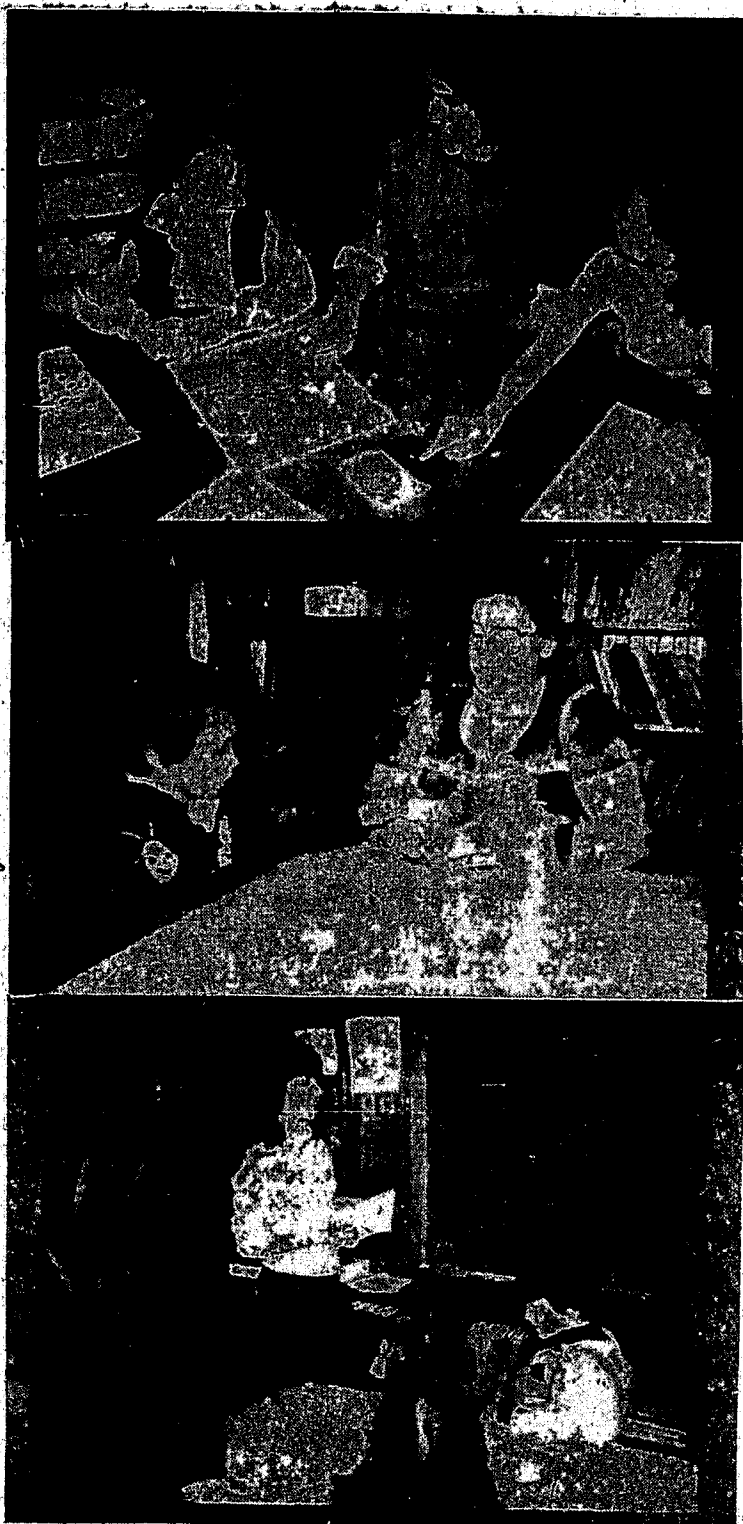
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— Mrs. Arline Bernier, Corres. —

Ma Bell provided the way, Helen provided the means, and I reaped the benefit when Helen called from Nashua. She's been to Hemlock, N.H., and talked about Ocean Born Mary, a sailing ship from the 18th century named for Mary born at sea.

I tried to recall the maiden name of Lena Judkins who came from there, but at first, all I could remember was that her younger brother became the last owner of my grandparents' Model T Ford which had been stored several years. This was a great disappointment to me as I'd hoped for it when I was of age for a driver's license. Later, I recalled the name of Esteyes.

An old custom of passing along clothes is becoming more popular. It used to be common place, but went out of fashion when the economy revived from the depression-recession days. Many were on both ends of these Freebies. There are a few things collecting at the Ladies Aid Building for whoever can make use of them.

The recent snow melted very quickly and took the other snow which we still had in abundance. Jonquils and other spring flowers are budding or blooming and show up as fast as the snow recedes.

Andy Torkelt visited in town with a friend from Canada, who has been conducting services in the French language in New England area, including Berlin. The gentleman was impressed with Upton as it reminded him of his native New Brunswick.

Frank Spinney visited his sister recently. He spent the winter with family in California but enjoys summer in North Windham. Schools are out for a week's vacation.

Juanita Koonen hurt her back

West Bethel

— Fannie Cummings, Corres. —

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Strickland and two children of Parsippany, N.J., have been visiting Mr. and Mrs. Bill Mitchell, most of the week.

April 18, Cathryn Lovejoy was given a surprise birthday supper by her husband, who prepared the delicious blueberry pancakes and maple syrup. Attending were Alan Lovejoy and family, Paul Sweetser, and Gram and Gramp Cummings. Tyrene Lovejoy baked the special cake.

Mr. and Mrs. Cleve Lovejoy were in Rumford Wednesday on business so called at the Ray West's and they had a special supper and cake for Mrs. Lovejoy.

We understand that Mrs. Maggie Lowell is home from the Rumford hospital. We trust she will continue to gain.

Fannie Cummings is grateful that she was able to pass her driver's test on Friday in South Paris, and that the robins and grosbeaks are back.

Little Angela Lovejoy had a party Friday night as she was five years old. She was well remembered. Her guests were Grammie and Grampa Lovejoy, Rick Whitney, Ellen Lovejoy, Paul Sweet-

ser and the great grandparents.

The Ray West family of Rumford were Sunday dinner guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Lovejoy.

Mr. and Mrs. Alanson Cummings were at their dentist in Norway on Monday.

Elder Stanley Jones of Bethel was the speaker Sunday, at the Pleasant Valley Bible Church. Pastor Bert Griffith is on a vacation. Sunday, April 25, and May 2, Rev. Bill Watt of Auburn will be the speaker. On the 9th and 16th of May Mark Cheeseman will officiate.

Miss Rosemary Stowell and friend from Massachusetts were the week end guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Stowell.

Mr. and Mrs. Jonathan Stowell and children, Melanie and Nathan of Shirley, Mass., were guests of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Gilbert and Mr. and Mrs. George Stowell over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Head, Jane and Marietta, visited his sister and family, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Butler of Union, Friday and Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Butler, Lisa and Matthew, spent the week end with Mrs. Paul Head. Jeremy Head was also a week-end guest of his grandmother.

JACKSON-SILVER POST & UNIT MET THURSDAY, APRIL 15

Regular meetings were held last Thursday night of the Jackson-Silver Post and Unit, #68, American Legion and Auxiliary, in Locke Mills. The nominating committee for the Post, Cleveland Lovejoy, Leland Dunham, Ellsworth Hathaway, Everett Cross and Stanley Roberts brought in their list for the new officers. Election is next meeting, May 6.

The ladies, Carmen Bartlett, Vera Cross, and Cathryn Lovejoy, brought in their recommendations and they were elected as follows: President, Sylvia Dunham; 1st Vice President, Kathy Bartlett; 2nd Vice President, Ann Patten; Secretary, Cathryn Lovejoy; Treasurer, Vera Cross; Historian, Grace Smith; Chaplain, Fannie Cummings, and Sgt. at Arms, Tyrene Lovejoy. Grace Smith will continue to take charge of the game party refreshments and Carmen Bartlett will do the same for the dances.

The Unit voted \$5 for the John Robinson Fund that is used for emergencies in the area.

A thank you was read from Christopher Johnson who will attend the Maine Criminal Justice Academy in Waterville in May.

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Other students working at E.B.S. as part of the Independent Study Project were Cindy Fleke, in Mrs. Gallant's Kindergarten and Jill O'Donnell and Rocky Myers with Mr. Miclon's Physical Education program.

Kassi Salway (lower photo) explains some work to Venus Hill, Holly Walega and Carter Davidson, students in Mrs. McCluskey's first grade. Kassi, a senior at Telstar, did part of her Independent Study Project at E.B.S.

West Greenwood —
Carolyn M. Colby, Corres. —

Vicki Wilson of New Vineyard spent the week end with her grandmother, Irene Wilson.

Joe Holt and Marguerite Paquette from Hookset, N.H., and Ruth Wilkinson, Bethel, visited Irene Wilson, Saturday evening. Doug and Yvonne Colby and three of their six-year-old grandchildren, twins Billie and Bobbie Segura, and Karl Colby, of Salmonville, N.H., visited us Saturday.

Joe and Muriel Gilbarte were in Lewiston, Saturday.

When something slipped out of place while she was helping her sister, Laurie Bergeron, on a wall-papering project.

He is being sponsored by the Unit.

The Girls State Banquet will be April 30 at the South Paris Methodist Church. The alumni are invited to attend.

The Post has been invited to assist Andover on May 31, at 3:30 p.m. with their Memorial observance and also to help them on Aug. 7 at 10 a.m. with their parade.

May 15, Cherry Bonney and the Country Blend will be playing for dance in Locke Mills. Reservations necessary. If you missed out—they are returning soon.

The Post is sending Michael Otero-Otero of Woodstock to Boys State and his alternate is Thomas Verrill.

A sick card was signed for Cora Bennett who was reported ill.

There was a brief ceremony for the draping of the Charter for Marion Jordan. The Post also draped their Charter in memory of Haakon M. Olson, who was a member.

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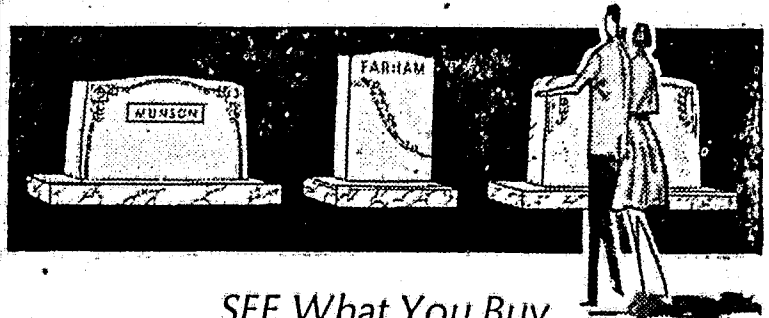
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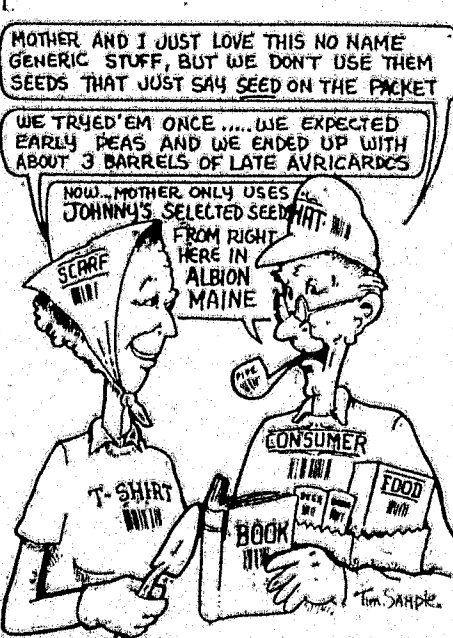
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Senior Citizens will dinner on Wednesday, the Country Way Restaurant, Smorgasbord. Everyone should be at the restaurant at those needing a ride to drive and having car are asked to make arrangements.

Following programs and Senior Activity Scholarships, Supply Closet, Togus American Project, Public in the Community of the Poppy Pro-

posed that a hearing program would be held in Center on Friday, a.m. This is for the anyone five years and Alcohol pro-

held at the American Center on Friday, a.m. This is for the anyone five years and Alcohol pro-

most sale followed, un- cation of Maud Dan- by Frances Bennett, and Clara Rolfe.

meeting will be held on the Sunday River Inn. members will be hon- time.



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